

IS ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF MURDER

Deputy Sheriff Granger Lands Marsh DeBose in Jail.

MURDERED STEPNEY BROWN

Marsh DeBose Was Caught at Cadillac—He Will Answer to Charge of Murder—Took Place Near Melrose July 23—Both Colored.

After a family jar among some of the colored folks at Melrose, July 23, Marsh DeBose, a colored man of about 19 years, shot Stepney Brown, aged about 45 years, and it was declared that the overdose of buckshot he received in his anatomy was the prime factor in his sudden demise.

DeBose, the fellow who was behind the gun, made his escape, and since that time has been eluding the officers. Deputy Sheriff Granger of this city, who has proven himself a good one on such cases, took up the case and has been working it so effectually that he at last landed his man behind the bars in the Alachua county jail.

The fellow was caught in a saw mill near Cadillac, where he has been employed for a short time. It is said that DeBose did the shooting from ambush, being concealed when Brown was passing along the road.

DeBose denies all knowledge of the affair, but Deputy Granger thinks he has sufficient evidence to convict him, from eye-witnesses of the affair. The officer certainly deserves credit for his good work.

THE FAIR ASSOCIATION.

It is Now Well Organized, and Some Excellent Work is Being Done.

The Alachua County Fair Association, which was organized a few days ago as an adjunct to the Florida State Midwinter Fair Association, has gotten matters down to a systematic basis, with the result that very encouraging work is already being done by the commissioners, as well as other members of the Association.

It will be remembered that a number of commissioners were appointed from various sections of the county. Care was taken to appoint men of energy and influence, and so far the Association has not been disappointed, for many have gone vigorously and enthusiastically to work, and write that fine progress is being made, a number of exhibits for the State Fair having already been promised.

Mr. J. W. Tench, who has been appointed by the board of directors as collector and manager of exhibits, went to his duties with commendable promptness and energy, and deserves credit for his efforts, which are bound to bear fruit. Major Tench is determined that old Alachua will be among the first counties at the Fair as regards a general exhibit.

Major Tench requests The Sun to suggest to the farmers that this is the season to select many products of the farm, such as squash, kershaw, marrow or Boston squash, etc., and he would be glad to have growers select the largest and most perfect of these varieties. He also wants to remind the colored people that there will be a special department for them, and there is no reason why the colored people of the county cannot make a fine show, as Alachua county contains some of the most thrifty and industrious of the race in the State.

The educational exhibit from Alachua county should prove a winner. Nowhere in Florida can be found better schools or more efficient teachers, as was proven at the State Fair in Jacksonville in 1900, when four out of ten good educational medals were awarded to Alachua's exhibit. Let us all pull together.

New Houses.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wison are planning to take life easy this winter, and will build a comfortable cottage at East Union street, where they expect to reside.

Wesley Lloyd, who has just finished building a cottage for this summer, on Liberty street, has already secured a tenant and says he could rent more if he had them ready, but will not commence any more at present.

Peculiar Disappearance.

Dr. Ruyuan of Butlerville, O., laid the peculiar disappearance of his patient to the symptoms of indigestion and biliousness to Dr. King's New Life Pills. He says: "They are a perfect remedy for indigestion, sour stomach, headache, constipation, etc." Guaranteed at all drug stores, price 25c.

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BAR ASSOCIATION IN SESSION.

Prominent American Lawyers Gathering in Annual Meeting.

Naragansett Pier, R. I., August 24.—Prominent jurists from all sections of the United States gathered here to attend the opening sessions today of the twentieth annual meeting of the American Bar Association.

Included in the number were Justices White and Brown, of the United States supreme court, and many professors of the various law schools connected with the great American universities.

The conferences will continue all through tomorrow and Friday.

The feature of today's session is the address of Henry St. George Tucker, of Lexington, Va., which pays special attention to the most noteworthy attention to the change of statute laws on points of general interest made by congress, and in the various state legislatures during the past year. This address was followed by the nomination and election of members and the presentation of departmental reports.

Rheumatism.

When pains or irritation exist on any part of the body, the application of Ballard's Snow Liniment gives prompt relief. E. W. Sullivan, proprietor Sullivan House, El Reno, O. T., writes, June 8, 1902: "I take pleasure in recommending Ballard's Snow Liniment to all who are afflicted with rheumatism. It is the only remedy I have found that gives immediate relief." 25c, 50c and \$1. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Escaped Lion Causes Panic.

New York, August 24.—A full grown lioness which escaped from her cage in a pleasure park near Vailsburg, N. J., caused a panic last night in a crowd of 5,000, including many women and children, who had gathered to watch the exhibition given by the trick bicyclist. When news of the animal's escape spread, there was a wild stampede for the streets, which lasted nearly fifteen minutes. Dozens of women and children were knocked down and bruised, while scores of men had their clothing almost torn off, but so far as could be learned, none was seriously hurt.

The Monster Diplodocus.

Dr. Andrew Wilson speaks of that huge extinct reptile, the diplodocus, whose bones Andrew Carnegie presented to the South Kensington museum in London as a "dragon." "If we could imagine it restored," says Dr. Wilson, "we should be tempted to imagine that the dragon legends of old had some foundation in fact. As a rule, these creatures—dinosaurs, as they are called—were huge, bulky animals. Mr. Carnegie's specimen has been estimated to have possessed a length in life of about seventy feet. The diplodocus, with regard to its personal characteristics, appears to have possessed a head of very moderate size indeed, considered relatively to the animal's bulk. Its jaws are weak, and its teeth are borne by the front of the jaws only. That it fed on soft vegetable matter would therefore appear to be an inference fairly warranted by the facts, yet, like the vegetarian elephant, it may have been capable of fierce onslaughts enough in its day. To feed on plants is not always commensurate with mildness of temper, as every vicious horse testifies. We may further believe that the diplodocus, if not a swimmer, at least had aquatic habits."

Making Marbles.

Germany maintains a monopoly of making stone marbles in spite of various efforts made to wrest the trade away. In the marble and agate quarries there are innumerable chips and bits of stone from the butting of the large blocks, and this refuse is broken into cubes about the size of a marble. An experienced worker produces these cubes of stone at an incredible speed and with remarkable uniformity. When about a bushel are ready they are dropped between a grooved bedstone and a revolving runner. Water is kept constantly supplied, and in half an hour the stones are turned out perfect spheres. With abundant water power the cost is slight, as a couple of men can keep a dozen stones supplied and the raw material costs nothing at all. In other countries the cost of preparing the blanks cuts up the profits, and competition with the German made product is impossible.

The Highest Stairway.

For the ascent of Mount Omi, on the borderland between western China and the Tibetan plateau, there is an artificial staircase consisting of 20,000 steps cut in slippery limestone. Who made these steps is largely a matter of surmise, but they were probably formed by religious enthusiasts to provide a means of access from the hot plains, out of which the mountain mass rises abruptly to the heights, 5,000 to 11,000 feet above, among which the Buddhist abode of Omi embodies some of the holiest traditions of the religion professed by its inmates. Anyhow, the staircase is there, and by it many pilgrims attain to the shrine as well as the very few Europeans who have ever visited this singular spot.

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The Buried Bell.

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Cures Sciatica.

Rev. W. L. Riley, L. L. D., Cuba, New York, writes: "After fifteen days of excruciating pain from sciatic rheumatism, under various treatments, I was induced to try Ballard's Snow Liniment; the first application giving my first relief and the second entire relief. I can give it unqualified recommendation." 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

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Mr. Gotrox: When I was your age, sir, I didn't have a dollar. Cholly Gotrox: Well, dad, when I am your age I probably won't have a dollar.—Puck.

That virtue which requires to be ever guarded is scarcely worth the sentinel.—Goldsmith.

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